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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 3546, Public Health. Dated the 21st October 1948.
Read:-

G.O. No. 1527, Public Health, dated 18.5.1946.
From the Director of Indian Institute of Science, No. R. 17372/48/378 dated 19.7.1948.
From the Surgeon-General, D.O. dated 26.7.1948.
From the Surgeon-General, R.No. 64646/M(1)/48 dated 9.8.1948.

Order:-

Sanction is accorded to the continuance for a furtner period of three years from 1.4.1949, of the scheme of research for obtaining ~~fresh~~ fresh water from saline solutions, sanctioned in G.O. No. 1104, Public Health, dated 19.5.1943 and which has been carried out in the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. for the last six years.

2. Sanction is also accorded to the entertainment of an additiona staff of one Junior Assistant Chemist and one Attender and to the grant of pay in the following scales to the staff employed on the research scheme as shown below:-

1. Research Chemist.	Rs. 400-25-500.
2. Assistant Chemist.	Rs. 160-10-180.
3. Junior Assistant Chemist.	Rs. 130-10-150.
4. Senior Attender.	Rs. 24-2-28.
5. Junior Attender.	Rs. 20-2-24.

The staff will be allowed dearness allowance at the rates for which Provincial Government servants are eligible.

3. The following items of expenditure are also sanctioned in connection with the research scheme:-

(1) Chemicals, apparatus and other accessories.	Rs. 2,500/- for each year.
(2) Expenditure towards visiting contres, collection of samples and other field studies.	Rs. 1,800/- -do-
(3) Expenditure on contingencies and other miscellaneous.	Rs. 200/- -do-

4. The Government have no objection to the proposal of the Director that Sri. Venkataraman may be the officer in charge of the enquiry during the period of absence of Professor, Subrahmanya He will be under the general administrative control of the Head of the Department. The Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore is requested to send to Government a detailed programme of work at the beginning of each year and a report on the progress of the work done once ~~at the end of~~ in six months, the report sent at the end of the year being detailed as possible.

5. The expenditure will be debited to "39-Public Health-Grants for Public Health purposes - Grants and Contributions - Miscellaneous grants".

7. ~~The Director of Public Health is requested to include in~~.

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7. The Director of Public Health is requested to include the necessary provision for the scheme in Part I Budget Estimates for 1949-50.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor).

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To

The Director of Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.
The Director of King Institute, Guindy, through the Surgeon-General.
The Board of Revenue, Madras.
The Director of Public Health, Madras.
The Accountant-General through the Finance Department.

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Madras Record Office.

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